

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Marie Bendix HANSEN *et al.*  
Title: **METHOD FOR HIGH THROUGHPUT VOLUMES IN  
THE FRACTIONATION OF BIO-MOLECULES BY  
CHROMATOGRAPHIC SYSTEMS**  
Appl. No.: 10/548,403  
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Examiner: Alexander D. Kim  
Art Unit: 1656  
Confirmation  
Number: 7935

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

The extension fee for response within the first month is \$120. A credit card payment form for this amount is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16-1.17, and to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment accompany this paper, then the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to the same account.

Respectfully submitted,

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